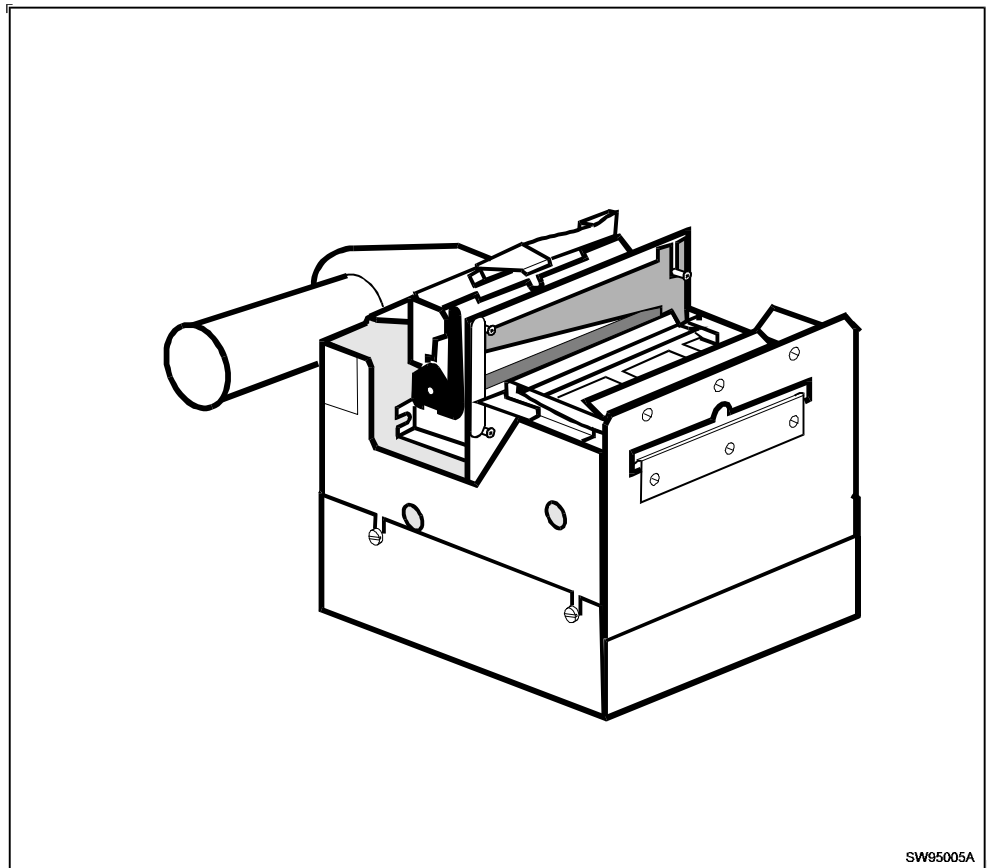


TTP 5000 Kiosk Printer Sub-system

Operating Instructions



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1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 About this manual

This document describes the daily handling of the TTP 5000 printer.

Since the behavior of the printer to a large extent depends on the design of the application software, please also refer to the applicable system documentation.

1.2 Updating

This manual will be updated from time to time as printer functions and features are added or amended. No automatic distribution of new editions is, however, planned. Registered manual owners (see registration form at the end of the manual) will be kept informed about new editions, product changes, etc. through our bulletin service. Updated manuals can be ordered by fax or phone.

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1.3 Safety precautions

Handling the TTP 5000 in a safe way requires that you keep your fingers away from the cutting mechanism when the power is switched ON.

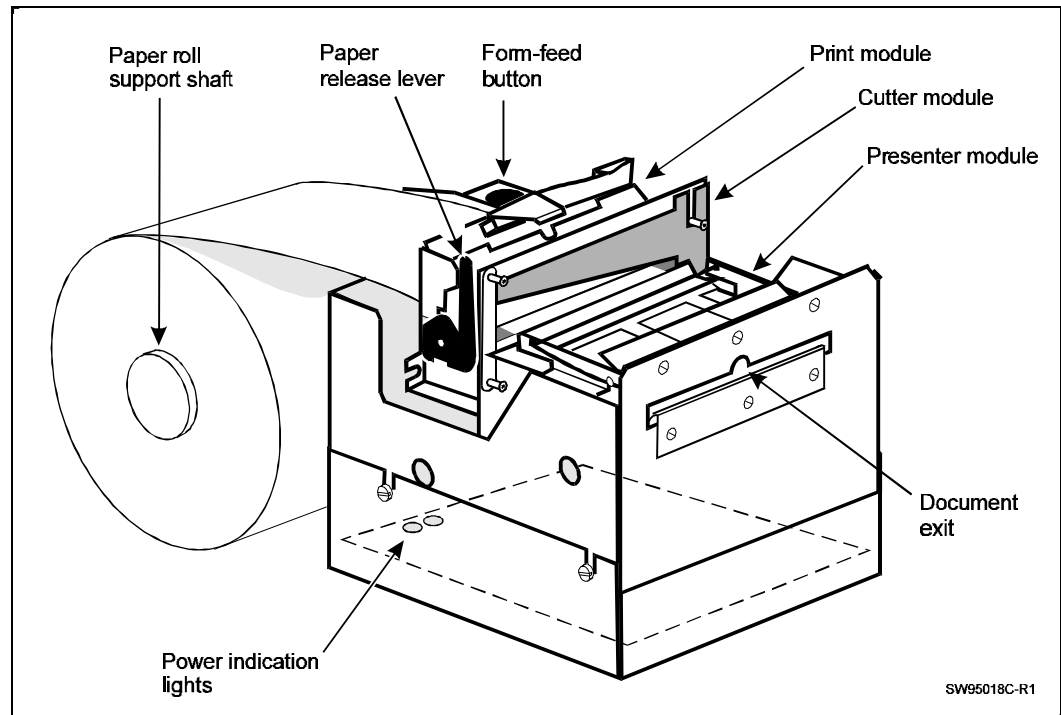


Figure 1. Printer exterior

3.1

Removing remaining paper and core

If there is any paper left in the printer, proceed as follows:

1. Lower the paper release lever to horizontal position. Remove any remaining pieces of paper.
2. Pull out the paper rearwards and remove the core from the paper roll support shaft. If necessary, clean the paper path by blowing or wiping with a soft brush.

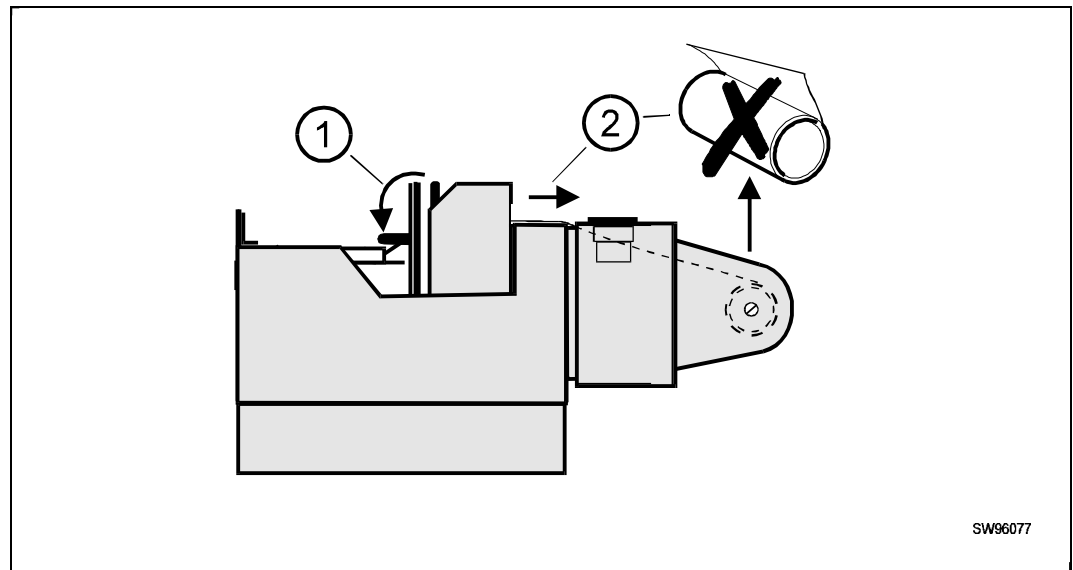


Figure 2. Remove the old paper roll.

3.2

Loading new paper roll

1. Turn the paper roll as shown. The paper should be inserted into the printer with the temperature sensitive side up.

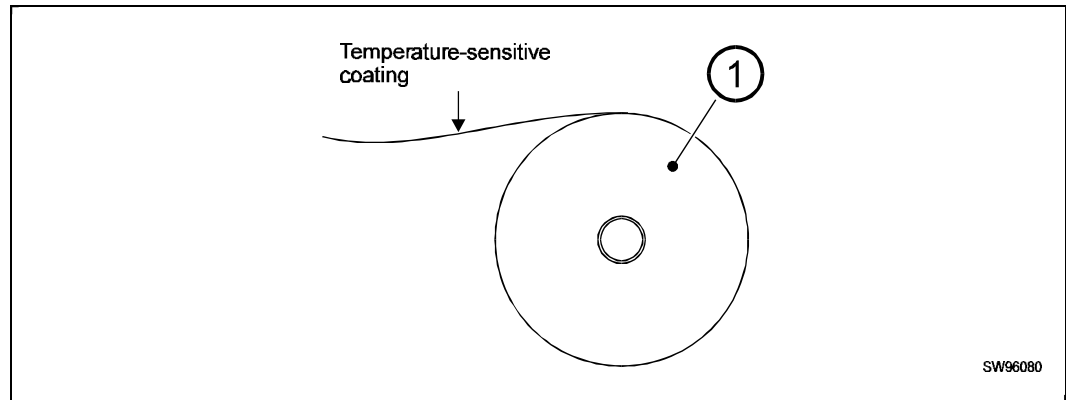


Figure 3. Turn the paper roll with the temperature-sensitive side up

2. Tear off approximately 0.5 m from the new paper roll.

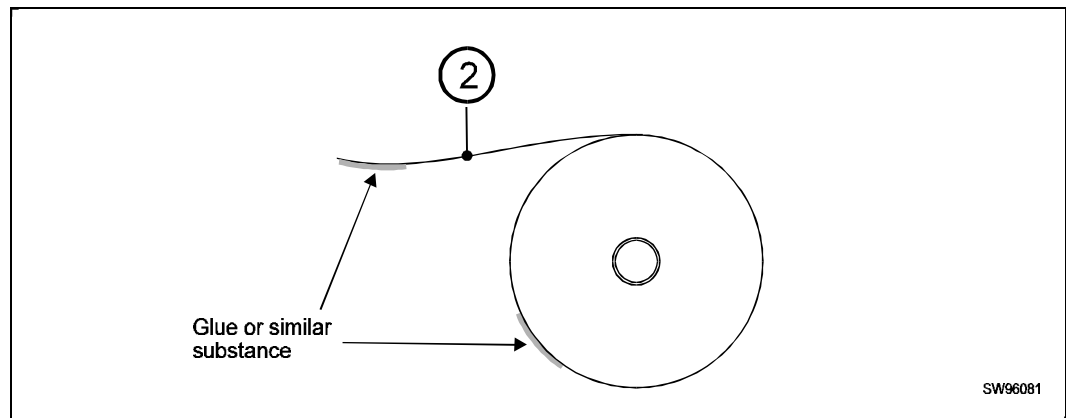


Figure 4. Tear off 0.5 m of the paper



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This is important since the outer end of the paper is usually fixed to the roll with some type of glue or self-adhesive substance that might otherwise cause paper jam or even printhead damage.

3. Raise the paper release lever to vertical position.
4. Turn the paper roll as shown and insert the edge of the paper into the back of the print module. Note that the paper should pass beneath a plastic bar (see arrow).

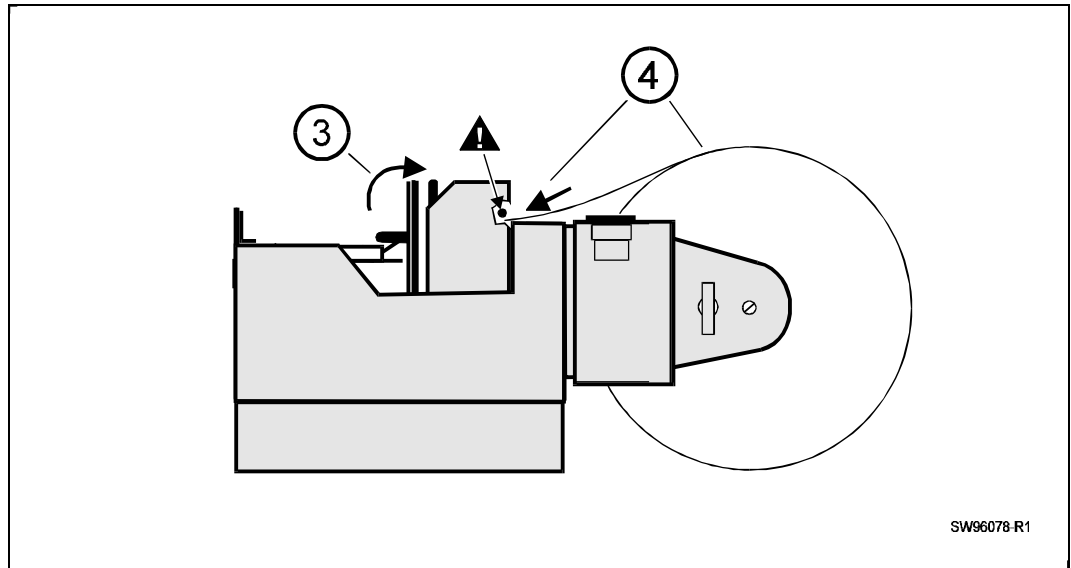


Figure 5. Feed the paper into the printer

5. Keep feeding the paper into the print module and press the paper-feed button momentarily. The printer will now automatically grab and advance the paper, cut it, and eject it. The leading edge of the next document will now have a properly cut top edge. (An alternative way of loading the paper is to feed it manually, with the paper release lever down, until the paper becomes visible in the presenter module. Then raise the paper release lever and press the paper-feed button.)

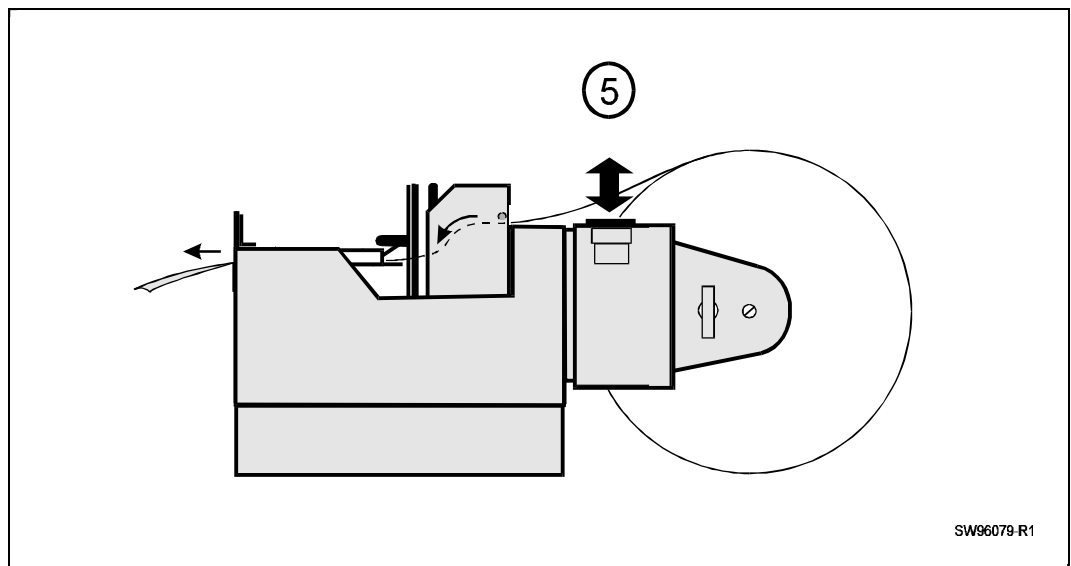


Figure 6. Perform cut and eject

6. Make a test printout (see Section 3.3)

3.3

Print test

The print test can be used, for example, to verify that the paper is correctly loaded or that the printer works correctly after you have removed an obstructing paper particle, etc.

1. Verify that the printer is switched OFF.
2. Press the paper-feed switch and keep it depressed.
3. Switch the power ON and continue keeping the paper feed button depressed for at least 5 seconds. This produces a printout showing some technical data and (repeatedly) all characters that can be produced by the printer.
4. Release the paper feed button to stop the printing. The printer cuts and ejects the document, but remains in the self test mode. Renewed actuation of the paper feed button produces a demo test print-out followed by cut and eject.
5. Exit the self test mode by switching the power OFF and then ON again. The printer is now operational again.

4

CLEANING

Remove paper dust by blowing it away or by using a vacuum cleaner or a soft brush.

5

STORAGE



CAUTION!

If the printer is not to be used for a long period of time, disengage the printhead from the platen by lowering the paper release lever. Both the printhead and the platen will otherwise be deformed.

Symptom	Suggested actions
Nothing is printed but the document becomes cut and ejected.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Verify that the paper roll is turned the with the temperature-sensitive side up. See Section 3.2. • Verify that the paper used meets the paper specification. See TTP 101 Technical Specification • Verify that the ribbon cable connector at the top of the print module is fully inserted.
Printer does not work at all	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Verify that the paper release lever is in its vertical position. • Red and green voltage indicator lights should be ON (see Chapter 1). <p>If both lights are OFF, check that the power cable is connected at both ends and that the power supply is switched ON.</p> <p>If only the green light is OFF, call service.</p>
Test document can be produced as described in Section 3.3, but the printer works strangely in normal operation.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Verify that both ends of the data cable are connected. • Application program might be incorrect. Contact system manager.
Printout contains white longitudinal lines	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Printhead needs cleaning or is defect. Call service.
Faint print dots	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The paper used may not meet the paper specification. See TTP 101 Technical Specification. • The printhead may need cleaning. Call service.

Contact service personnel in case of other error symptoms or if the suggested actions do not remove the problem.

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